

## Comments.

for 1913

them, with world-old, bears fresh ten- of earth's first ar v'ed by labor of the 50 hours. Earth has not th which to him, listening, tells A strange tale, he has not heard before, for since time was a loss and gain of man he winds have chated o'er and o'er. when the days have all been counted off Of this the year that now stands tremulous at dawn, ay from the world-old knowledge that he bears Dear lessons for our living happily be drawn. the fresh flowers that he bears with his hands rain for us the dewy fragrance all, midnight tolling out the pass- ing year out only hours of good and none of ill.

—Modeste Hannis Jordan

Eighty-three divorces were granted in Kansas City in two days.

The jury failed to agree in the ns Schmidt murder case in New rk.

the Frisco system met the strike telegraph operators by installing phones.

the Imperial Tobacco Co. is not ng tobacco in Henderson, Un- Webster counties.

Fritz Scheff has married again. He time it is a New York man w ed George Anderson.

ol. Wm. C. Gorgas, of Panama is tipped to succeed Surgeon al Torney, of the army, who turday.

ks entering the Federal reserve m need not take out new char- to become members, the Organi- tion Committee decided.

Race segregation as a means of less- ening disease in the South is advo- cated by Prof. C. W. Stiles, of the United States Public Health Service.

The parcel post made \$36,000,000 during the first twelve months of its operation, according to unofficial estimates of post-office department ex- perts.

Telegraph agents on the Frisco system, numbering 1,189 struck for higher wages yesterday. They de- mand a 15 per cent. increase and an eight-hour day.

Judge Ben Lindsey, founder of the juvenile court of Denver, was married Saturday at Detroit to Miss Henrietta Brevort. They first met last spring as patients in the same sanatorium.

Jules Vedrines, the French aviator, arrived at Cairo, Egypt, Monday, thus bringing to a successful end a flight of nearly 3,000 miles, which began several weeks ago at Paris. In his voyage Vedrines made various stops, including Vienna, Sofia, Constantinople and Beirut.

Colorado is suspected for having radium bearing ores and Secretary Lane will withdraw all land believed to have such deposits, to keep them from falling into private hands. He points out that there are low but two grams of radium in the United States, imported from Europe and valued at \$120,000 a gram. Dr. Abraham Jacoby, one of the most distinguished doctors in New York, in the current issue of the New York Medical Journal, says he has been cured of cancer by radium. A Con- gressman was treated a week ago containing the radium.

## WHOLE BAND ENLISTED

and Will Serve The State For Three More Years.

### ELECTED OFFICERS TUESDAY

Director Lebkuecher and His 24 Musicians Best of All.

The Third Regiment Band is not only the pride of Col. Henry's soldiers and himself but is conceded to be the best in the State.

At every encampment they have always acquitted themselves as musicians and proven that they are gentlemen as well. Our home people have the highest regard for them and know "when the band begins to play" there's going to be real "music in the air."

Last Monday night the band met at their rooms and elected officers for the coming year, as follows:

Harry Lebkuecher, President. Karl Witty, Vice Pres't. Thomas Overshiner, Sec'y. L. L. Shrode, Treasurer and Mgr. The band is composed of 24 men and their enlistment expires on the 11th of this month. When the question of re-enlisting was brought up every one of them agreed to enlist for three years longer.

As is generally known the State Guard is part of the U. S. standing army and Uncle Sam furnishes the soldier boys with arms and equipment. The regimental bands are also a part of the army and are also cared for by the government.

### MAID TO REST.

Remains of Col. Joe Foard Arrived Here Tuesday.

The remains of Col. Joe Foard, who died at Natchez, Miss., December 10th, arrived over the I. C. railroad last Tuesday afternoon. The body was accompanied by Mrs. Foard, Mrs. Hume, a daughter, and Mr. Hume, of Nashville, Mrs. Wendel, another daughter, and Mrs. Cordelia Humphrey, a grand daughter, of Murfreesboro, Tenn. The remains were taken charge of by the Masons and buried in Riverside Cemetery with Masonic honors. The pallbearers were: Chas. F. Jarrett, John B. Trice, Nat. Gaither, H. W. Tibbs, J. E. McPherson, A. W. Wood, H. D. Wallace, and W. P. Winfree. Rev. C. H. H. Branch conducted a brief service at the grave. Col. Foard's death was due to Bright's disease and he was in the 77th year of his age. Messrs. John W. Foard, whose home is near Church Hill, and R. H. Foard, of Paducah, Texas, are the only surviving members of a family of seven.

### ONLY 7 BURIALS

In Riverside Cemetery During Month of December.

J. T. Johnson, sexton of Riverside Cemetery, reports burials during December, as follows: Volney C. Littlefield, Heron, Ill. Miss Mildred Anderson, city. A. J. Meador, California. Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly, county. Infant of Nellis West, county. Miss Katie Vass, Fairview. Col. Joe F. Foard, Natchez, Miss. It will be noticed in reading the list that there was but one death in the city during the month of December, which is unusual for that month. In 1911 there were 106 burials; 1912, 96; 1913, 104.

## MAYOR MEACHAM'S ANNUAL MESSAGE TO THE COUNCIL

Dealing With City Finances and The Work Of The Closing Year--Some Things Accomplished During His Terms Of Office.

The Council met in adjourned session Tuesday night for the granting of licenses for 1914. All of the present saloon men, 21 in number and one new one, John Fortner, at Seventh and Weber streets, were granted licenses. Also both of the present wholesale houses. Three licenses to sell wholesale beer were granted, making the total liquor licenses \$24,600. Six pool rooms now in business were granted a renewal of their licenses.

The Treasurer's bond was fixed at \$25,000 and the Tax Collector's annual bond at \$15,000. The regular January meeting will be held tomorrow night. Mayor Meacham, whose term expires Monday, submitted a written report on a case in court growing out of the construction of the sewer on Tenth street and also read the following annual report:

### Mayor's Annual Report.

#### TO THE COUNCIL:

Pursuant to a custom that I have followed for many years, I herein submit an annual report in writing of the administration of city affairs during the past year. While some of the figures for the current year are not based on annual reports, they are approximately correct, as the few days not included will not materially affect the results recorded. I have thought it best to make this report in advance of my retirement from office, in order that the figures compiled may be accessible to my honorable successor as soon as possible for such purposes as he may desire to use them.

The finances of the city are in a very satisfactory condition. The bonded debt of the city was reduced \$2,500 during the year, a deficit of \$2,033 on Jan. 1st and a floating debt of about \$7,500 were paid and a balance of about \$2,000 is on hand in the general fund at the close of the year's business. The bonded debt now consists of \$4,000 of refunded O. V. Railroad bonds due in 1921 and \$66,000 of 1910 and 1911 High School bonds due in 20 years from dates of issue. Besides this bonded debt of \$70,000, there is an unpaid balance of \$1,425 on a sewer contract, (a detailed report of which I have made to your honorable body) and the current bill for street lighting from Sept. 1, 1913, amounting to about \$2,800, which is undergoing investigation. The street lighting contract expired Nov. 16, 1913, and the bill since that date is without legal authority under a recent decision. Including this bill, the indebtedness of the city is all told \$74,225, while there are uncollected claims of nearly \$4,000 due the city. The revenues of 1914 may be safely estimated at \$85,000 for the general fund, but since the courts have construed the school debt to be a current liability, the contracting of new debts for 1914 beyond the actual running expenses of the government is limited to a few thousand dollars, barely enough to renew the water and street lighting contracts.

#### STREETS AND SEWERS.

During the year more than \$26,000 was expended on streets and sewers. Of this \$4,700 was a deferred payment on the Bitulithic streets built in 1912, about half of which is due from property owners and should have been recovered by suits long since. More than \$6,000 was spent in extending the system of drainage sewers and was wisely expended. Much of the rest was spent in repairing macadam streets, some of which was not wisely spent. Unfortunately there was no extension of permanent street building, a contract by which the city was to divide with property owners the cost of building about 1 1/2 miles of improved street pending if the first

the city has not been renewed since Nov. 16, 1912. The city paid about \$5,100 for water during 1913. The contract with the Kentucky Public Service Co. for street lights, amounting to about \$7,500, expired Nov. 16, 1913, as stated above. There have been no serious troubles to adjust with any corporations doing business in the city. The refusal of the Illinois Central Railroad Co. to comply with a condition of its grant of 1891 and construct a drainage sewer under Tenth street is the only unfriendly act shown by any corporation. This company should have been compelled to fulfill this condition, under penalty of having its permit to enter the city over Tenth street revoked, but I was unable to enforce the ordinance dealing with the matter, for reasons not necessary to discuss at this time.

#### CEMETERIES.

I was again disappointed in not having a chapel and public vault erected in Riverside Cemetery, although an appropriation of \$2,500 was made for the purpose, but not expended. I have recommended this public need to four different councils, but must leave it to my successor to do what I have been unable to bring about. I am also sorry to report that a small appropriation of \$500 made to improve the Pioneer Graveyard, upon a condition that a like amount be raised by popular subscription, was never allowed to be used in whole or in part, but the appropriation was rescinded last fall, leaving undone this civic improvement, that should appeal to the patriotic sentiment of the whole city.

A tract of 12 acres lying about one mile from the city on the Greenville road, was purchased last summer and set apart for a cemetery for colored people. Some improvements have been made and others are needed. The cemetery has been named Cave Spring Cemetery.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

There have been no serious fires during the year, the Department doing its usual good work under E. P. Fears as chief. There were only 31 alarms.

#### BUILDING.

It has been another year of great activity in building operations. The Jennie Stuart Hospital, the Cherokee Building and the Helme Tobacco factory are important buildings about completed and work has begun on the Carnegie Library to cost \$15,000 and the Government Building to cost \$70,000. Many handsome dwelling houses have been erected.

#### THE POOR.

During the year I issued 193 orders for coal of \$1.00 each, 126 to white and 67 to colored applicants. The Council appropriated \$225 of the Latham Poor Fund to the Orphans' Home and \$300 to the Associated Charities.

#### POLICE.

There were no cases of discipline in the police department during the year and only one reprimand. This was a remarkable record. The cash collections from all sources have been about \$5,821. The arrests have been 1,105, a decrease over 1912 of 175.

#### HEALTH.

During the spring there were several cases of smallpox and expenses from this cause aggregated \$682. Four cases appeared in November among railroad hands, but these were sent to the county poor farm and cared for at the expense of the L. & N. Railroad. There are now no cases in the city. There have been occasional cases of typhoid fever, scarlet fever and diphtheria, but the city has been free from any epidemic.

#### PARKS.

What about it? The water park at Cave Spring will surprise you.

creased enthusiasm and pleasure. No single public improvement of recent years has proven more popular than the damming of the river at Second street.

On the 8th of August, Virginia Park was thrown open to the people, after about \$8,500 had been spent for improvements of a permanent character. Improvements on Peace Park were postponed, owing to a plan, afterwards abandoned, of placing the Carnegie Library building on a portion of the park grounds. On October 1st a Park Commission was created that now has in hand the further improvement and control of all of the parks. A financial report on the park funds has been made by the Treasurer during the present month. The Park Commission consists of C. F. Jarrett, President; T. L. Metcalfe, Dr. F. P. Thomas and B. F. McCloud and the Mayor, ex-officio.

#### CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

Early in January I appointed a board of directors for the proposed Carnegie Library and arrangements were made to locate it on Peace Park, but it was decided to remove all doubts of the legality of such action by a test case, which being brought in October resulted in an adverse decision in the circuit court. An appeal is now pending, but the preceding council concluded that another lot would be more desirable, even should the case be ultimately reversed, and on Nov. 14 authorized the purchase of a lot on the North-east corner of Liberty and Eighth streets. This purchase was made on Dec. 16 and work has been begun on the building to be erected on the new site. On July 1st the new board of directors, having in the meantime organized and settled their terms by lot, were all reappointed for the full terms beginning on that date. The directors are Frank Rives, President; W. T. Tandy, Ira L. Smith, Mrs. T. C. Underwood and Mrs. W. A. Padford.

#### LITIGATION.

But little business was transacted in the courts during the year. In the spring a damage suit filed by Mary Buckner and others for alleged faulty drainage was tried out and a verdict rendered for the city. During the September term of Circuit Court a damage suit brought by Mrs. Josephine Davis was begun and continued when it was found that further pleadings would be necessary for the plaintiff to stay in court. Another case in which Palmer Graves was the plaintiff was tried and judgment given for \$150 against the city. The case of W. T. Tandy for damages growing out of a riot in December 1907 was also tried and gained by the city and is now in the Court of Appeals.

The following list of suits now pending is as nearly correct as I can make it in the absence of an official report:

- Elizabeth Moore's Admr. vs. City. Dismissed.
- W. T. Tandy vs. City, appealed by plaintiff.
- W. T. Cooper vs. City for \$10,000 damages.
- Mrs. J. Davis vs. City, two damage suits.
- P. T. Swain vs. City, damage suit.
- City vs. Wooldridge & Co. to recover excess in bill for hauling.
- Tom West vs. City, suit for injury.
- C. F. Jarrett vs. City, suit for agreement with the publisher of the Louisville Kentuckian, Hopkinsville, Ky., to publish the club be made good.
- Meacham vs. City, suit for unpaid balance.
- During the year one accepting the above offer may have paid the following: ONLY 25 CENTS ADDITION for service as Postcards, 6 New Year Postcards, 10 Christmas Seals, 60 Decorative Seals, 16 embossed, gummed Stamps, 12 All embossed in gold and beautiful Christmas

## REAL BATTLE GOING ON

Mexican Rebels Are Fighting Under Black Flag at Ojinaga.

### THE FEDERALS LAST STAND.

United States Troops Keeping Panic Stricken Refugees on South Side of River.

Presidio, Tex. Dec. 31.—The battle between 5,000 rebels under Gen. Ortega and the northern division of the Mexican federal army, entrenched around Ojinaga, Mexico, across the border from this place, still was in progress when darkness fell last night. No bullets came across the border.

The forces had been engaged for thirty-six hours and many had been killed and wounded. The federal forces, crippled and disorganized by the first rebel onslaught, clung to the hillside trenches where their leaders had decided to make a last stand. They rallied somewhat from the panic that seized many of them with the first volleys of the rebels when daylight disclosed the position of Ortega's men, and put up a plucky fight against heavy odds, although their losses were heavy from wounds and desertions. Many wounded and deserters waded waist deep through the river to the American side.

#### DEATH THEIR PORTION.

Although the rebels tonight appeared to have much advantage, the outcome of the struggle was not clearly defined. That the rebels will surrender is improbable, but Gen. Ortega has explicit orders to execute the so-called volunteers and their commanders, Generals Orozco, Salazar, Rojas, Orpinal, Alanis, and Gomez. Eighteen hundred volunteers also come under the sentence of death imposed by order of Gen. Villa. That the federals with all their generals except perhaps Castro, Mancilla and Landa, of the regulars, will be forced over to the United States in case of defeat, was thought on the American side to be most likely.

The land which slopes down to the shallow and muddy Rio Grande on the American side all day presented the busy aspect of the rear of an army in action. Cavalrymen of the border patrol galloped along the water's edge ready to send back any Mexican soldiers who attempted to cross or to stop a possible general rush of the whole federal army across the border. Only wounded soldiers were given assistance.

### BASSETT SELECTED

President of Kitty League to Be Business Manager at Nashville.

Nashville, Ten., Dec. 31.—It is stated here today that Dr. Frank Bassett, of Hopkinsville, Ky., president of the Kitty League, will be business manager of the Nashville League Club, effective January 1. Supporters of W. C. Hirsig, whom some of the directors have sought to depose as president, say that Artie Hofman, Harry McIntyre or Jimmy Sheekhard will be considered for the club managership should Hirsig's appeal be successful. It is also stated that Schwartz shall be the club manager if Hirsig's appeal is successful.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce  
**HON. DAVID H. KINCHELOE**,  
 of Hopkins county, as a candidate  
 for Congress from the Second district,  
 subject to action of the democratic  
 primary August, 1914.

## For Congress.

We are authorized to announce  
**J. W. HENSON**  
 as a candidate for the Democratic  
 nomination for Congress for the  
 Second Congressional District,  
 subject to the action of the primary  
 to be held in August, 1914.

Clara Pause, a 16-year-old girl in  
 Chicago, celebrated Christmas by  
 taking a swim in the icy waters of  
 Lake Michigan. At Coney Island  
 130 men and women, who call them-  
 selves winter bathers, took a plunge  
 in the ocean, in water registering 35  
 degrees, two degrees colder than the  
 atmosphere.

Hudson Maxim, the gun man,  
 says American girls chew enough  
 gum every year to buy three battle  
 ships, while the men drink enough  
 rum to pay for 200. He says a ma-  
 chine gun is the greatest peacemaker,  
 because it permits 19 men to  
 stay at home out of 20 who used to  
 have to go to war.

The Danish research ship Margare-  
 the, which had been on a surveying  
 expedition in the West Indies for  
 several months, lies a total wreck on  
 the Anegada reef and the most north-  
 ern of the Virgin Islands, British  
 West Indies. Capt. Hansen and the  
 crew were all rescued. The records  
 of the expedition were lost.

Since he killed H. E. Montague, a  
 passenger agent, while holding up a  
 Southern Pacific train near El Monte,  
 Cal., three weeks ago, John Bostick,  
 a young amateur bandit, has been  
 hunted, he says by the crime.

"I have not had a single night's  
 rest since," he told Sheriff W. A.  
 Hamill of Los Angeles county.

Thaw is boarding at the best hotel  
 in Concord, N. H., with a special  
 guard. He goes where he pleases  
 and is a popular hero. He neither  
 smokes nor drinks and is on his best  
 behavior while awaiting for a feder-  
 al commission to pass on his sanity.  
 His health is good, his eye clear, his  
 mind bright. He walks five or ten  
 miles a day and nobody believes he  
 is not perfectly sane.

## THE ONLY EXCUSE.

Oscar W. Underwood was talking  
 in Birmingham about the high  
 prices of men's clothes, which tariff  
 reform will tend to reduce, according  
 to the Age-Herald.

"I have heard," said Mr. Under-  
 wood, "that many a \$25 suit contains  
 only \$2 or \$3 worth of cloth. It is  
 hard to see, if this is so, why such  
 high prices should exist. The dealer,  
 if brought to book, would probably  
 have to answer like Mark Twain's  
 sandwich vender.

"Mark Twain, after paying a quar-  
 ter for a wretched sandwich at a sea-  
 side eating bar, said:

"Why on earth have you charged  
 me for this miserable thing ten times  
 its real worth?"

"Well, the fact is, boss," the ven-  
 der replied, "I need the money."

## Death Rate.

Bulletin issued by the New York  
 health shows that the death  
 rate among married men is much lower  
 than among single men.

## Might Not Be Alive.

McMinnville, Tenn.—Mrs. Ocie Jett,  
 of this place, writes: "I don't be-  
 lieve I would be living today, if it  
 hadn't been for Cardui. I lay in bed  
 27 days and the doctor came every  
 day, but he did me no good. Finally  
 he advised an operation, but I would  
 not consent, and instead took Car-  
 dui. Now I am about the house, do-  
 ing my work, and even do my wash-  
 ing. Cardui worked wonders in my  
 case. I am in better health than for  
 five years." Cardui is a strength-  
 ening tonic for women. It relieves pain,  
 tones up the nerves, builds strength.  
 Try it. At your druggist's.  
 Advertisement.

## Preferred Locals.

See J. H. Dagg for contracting  
 building and general repair work of  
 all kinds. Phone 476.  
 Advertisement.

## For Rent.

5-room flat, hot water and heat  
 service, private bath. Phone 481.  
 Advertisement.

## Removal Notice.

Dr. Andrew Sargent has moved  
 his office and residence to the Frank-  
 el Flats at Main and Twelfth streets.  
 Telephone 552.  
 Advertisement.

## Unusual Offer To Our Readers.

For a limited time, and subject to  
 withdrawal after 30 days, the well-  
 known publishing house of the J. B.  
 Lippincott Company, Philadelphia,  
 founded in 1792, offers to the readers  
 of this paper a 12 months' subscrip-  
 tion to "Lippincott's Magazine" and  
 a year's subscription to the Kentuck-  
 ian, both for \$3.00. This is the price  
 of a twelve months' subscription to  
 "Lippincott's" alone. Additional to  
 obtaining every issue of this paper  
 for a year, our readers will receive  
 in "Lippincott's," 12 great complete  
 novels by popular authors, 105 short  
 stories, crisp, entertaining, original;  
 45 timely articles from the pens of  
 masters, and each month some ex-  
 cellent poems with the right senti-  
 ment, and "Walnuts and Wins,"  
 the most popular humor section in  
 America. To obtain this extraordinary  
 offer prompt action is necessary.  
 Remit to J. B. Lippincott Company,  
 Washington Square, Phila., Pa.  
 Advertisement.

## TO DESTROY CANADA THISTLE

Being Perennial Plant, It Propagates  
 Itself by Means of Seeds and  
 Its Underground Parts.

This weed occurs in the northern  
 states from Maine to Virginia, west to  
 North Dakota and Kansas, and in the  
 Pacific coast states from Washington  
 to northern California.

Being a perennial plant, the Canada  
 thistle propagates itself both by its  
 underground parts and its seeds. The  
 character of the underground growth  
 must therefore be understood in order  
 to attack the weed intelligently. The  
 root, which varies in size from one-  
 quarter of an inch or more down to  
 very small feeding rootlets, branches  
 and spreads in all directions more or  
 less horizontally. The depth of this  
 root varies from a few inches to a  
 few feet below the soil surface, de-  
 pending on the kind of soil in which  
 it has been formed. From any point  
 along the root buds may form and



Characteristic Growth of the Canada  
 Thistle. The Shoots Are Illustrat-  
 ed in Various Stages of Develop-  
 ment, From the Most Advanced  
 Down to Buds Just Starting From  
 the Roots.

send up root shoots, which appear  
 above the soil surface as stems or  
 tops of the plant. At any time dur-  
 ing the growing season shoots in all  
 stages of development can be found,  
 from the most advanced down to those  
 just starting from the roots.

After this weed has obtained a foot-  
 hold the best way to eradicate it is  
 to prevent it from sending up top  
 or above-ground growth, which finally  
 causes the death of the plant. This is the  
 best method.

The best way to prevent the plant from  
 sending up top or above-ground growth  
 is to use a chemical which will kill the  
 plant if it attempts to grow. This is the  
 best method.

## A FAIR YOUNG GIRL

By AUGUSTUS GOODRICH SHER-  
WIN.

A fair young girl was strolling  
 along the beach just beyond the city  
 walls of Ayihl. The sun was hot, as  
 was it ever at this, the sultriest town  
 in the dominions of the Rajah Afendi,  
 yet she had her sunshade closed.  
 Ever and anon she would pause, ven-  
 ture in chase of a receding wave, use  
 the end of the dainty parasol as a  
 stylus, and then, tripping back lightly,  
 would laugh at the grim pursuing ele-  
 ment she had cheated.

A young man followed her at a  
 worshipful distance, and she all un-  
 aware of it. He urged or retarded  
 progress according to the chances of  
 discovery. At last he came to one  
 of the spots where the girl had writ-  
 ten in the sand, and where the waves  
 had not washed out the clearness of  
 the letters.

"E-L-O-I-S-E."  
 That was the name of the graceful  
 young lady—Miss Eloise Wharton.  
 Ralph Evans knew that. Yet he gazed  
 with fondness and interest at the fa-  
 ding letters reminding him of her. He  
 followed a dozen of these fanciful  
 traceries, some clear, others one-half  
 obliterated. Then there was a final  
 one—and two names this time. But  
 the Eloise was blurred. The E was  
 missing, the I and S merged into a  
 sort of V, so that what remained  
 read "L-O-V-E," and added to it were  
 the letters, "R-A-L-P-H."

Was it fancy on his part that a  
 demure yet expressive inclination of  
 the golden head of the beautiful girl  
 indicated that she had espied him,  
 that in wayward mischief she had set  
 a lesson in the sand for him to con-  
 strue?

He hoped it and the sentiment fed  
 his longing heart. He quickened his  
 step. The girl had entered a street  
 of shops. Then proceeding less than  
 half a hundred yards, she disappeared  
 within the broad open doorway of a  
 curio store.

Young Evans came to a halt,  
 scanned the place so he would re-  
 member it and reflected. His envi-  
 ronment was a peculiar one. He had  
 been sent to the province as a silk  
 buyer for a Boston house. There



"If I Could Speak to Her."

were a few English speaking people  
 in Ayihl. He had met most of these  
 a few evenings since at a social func-  
 tion, Miss Wharton and her brother,  
 Harold, among them. Once having  
 met Eloise, he could never forget her.  
 She had told him that she and her  
 brother planned to leave for Bengay  
 and then the country at once.

There was a warning token of dis-  
 quiet in the air the days following.  
 Ralph was a comparative stranger in  
 Ayihl and did not entirely under-  
 stand what it all meant. He noticed,  
 however, very few English speaking  
 people on the streets and had been  
 told that most of them had gone to  
 Bengay. He inferred that rumors of  
 an uprising of natives in the near  
 neighborhood was the cause of this—  
 but this was a permanent cause of un-  
 rest in the community, and he did not  
 attach any unusual importance to the  
 rumor.

Now he had seen Miss Wharton,  
 whom he supposed had left Ayihl  
 days previous. To his further won-  
 derment she had disappeared in a na-  
 tive shop. She did not come out for  
 an hour or two. Ralph marvelled  
 and then he became anxious. He en-  
 tered the place.

A Parsee trader sat on his cushions  
 behind the counter conversing with a  
 dignified vizier, some close friend.  
 Both regarded Ralph keenly, but not  
 with animosity.

"A friend, a lady, entered your es-  
 tablishment two hours ago," began  
 Ralph.

"It is true," bowed the trader.

"If I could speak with her—"

"It is not allowed," spoke the trader  
 gravely. "See," and he showed  
 across a doorway the ribbon of safety  
 used by the natives to indicate a  
 sanctuary. "My friend, because you  
 are her friend and of her blood—go."

"You may—"

"To Bengay. The sword is dangling  
 from a thread. It may fall at  
 any moment. You are in peril. The  
 lady has been placed under my strict  
 guard. She is hidden.  
 But security by

safe hands. Why, however, had he  
 left her in this hot bed of sedition  
 and peril? His interest was height-  
 ened in the fair girl he scarcely knew.  
 He might have put her entirely from  
 his mind but for the memory of that  
 name written in the sand.

That night the long brooding storm  
 broke over the devoted town of  
 Ayihl. The native outbreak was on.  
 A horde of sanguinary natives over-  
 ran the place. Their leaders rushed  
 from house to house. Where a cer-  
 tain challenge was responded to with  
 the correct password, a mark was  
 chalked on the door. Where not, the  
 place was given over to the pillage of  
 the general horde.

Ralph instantly thought of Miss  
 Wharton in the midst of this wild  
 riot. He rushed into the little shop  
 not two minutes ahead of the crowd.  
 He saw the trader thrown amid the  
 surging rioters who poured into the  
 place to loot it. Dashing restlessly  
 through a doorway, in a secluded side  
 room he found Ethel.

"We must fly instantly," he told the  
 astonished girl, after he had rapidly  
 depicted their peril.

"Yes, yes," she replied tumultu-  
 ously. "The bird—I must save that."

She seized a covered cage. By de-  
 vious ways they reached the yards  
 of various houses, finally seeking re-  
 fuge in a vacant one.

Then at its front came a great up-  
 roar. The hoarse challenge of the na-  
 tive leader sounded the challenge as  
 he beat upon the locked door!

"Ghenji Mutat!"

To the startled wonder of the refu-  
 gees from directly where they crouched  
 in the darkness there rang out  
 shrilly the response:

"Ejah toluc!"

They could hear the native leader  
 mark upon the door, the mob pass  
 on.

"A parrot!" exclaimed Ralph, glanc-  
 ing at the covered cage.

"Yes," responded Eloise. "I bought  
 it from a native woman. That must  
 have been the password it had learn-  
 ed somewhere."

Two hours later, at the head of a  
 large party Harold Wharton and his  
 friends reached Ayihl. He had gone  
 away for that purpose.

And within the scope of those two  
 hours Eloise and Ralph, comrades in  
 peril, knew that they loved one an-  
 other, and, with peace restored, there  
 was a happy wedding.

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## CHANGE IN MEDICAL VIEWS

Ideas That Were Held Sacred in the  
 Past Have Lately Been Rad-  
 ically Revised.

We are getting sound views on a  
 good many things with which we  
 have been going headlong in recent  
 years, remarks the Indianapolis News.  
 The rage for operation in cases of ap-  
 pendicitis is subsiding. When the  
 discovery of the germ theory and an-  
 tiseptic treatment made possible op-  
 erations that until then were impos-  
 sible, a rage for operation in appen-  
 dicitis came in. Now it is held that  
 operations for this affliction, which  
 used to be called inflammation of the  
 bowels, shall not be employed except  
 in the last extremity. Similarly it is  
 now affirmed that the appendix is not  
 a useless obstruction, but has import-  
 ant functions.

There begins now protest against  
 the fresh air fad that has had its own  
 way these many years. Those that  
 have predicted that it was a fad like  
 the "blue glass" treatment for rheu-  
 matism and other ills which raged  
 many years ago, feel like prophets. In  
 other days houses had a "blue glass"  
 room just as in recent years they  
 have "open air sleeping chambers"  
 added. And men and women used to  
 sit solemnly many hours a day, when  
 the sun shone, in their blue glass  
 chambers allowing the blue ray to  
 wander over their afflicted bodies.  
 Wonderful cures were the result. But  
 old rheumatism, like the cat, had the  
 habit of coming back. Now Dr. Dut-  
 ton, in the Medical Times, says the  
 profession has been carried away  
 with the fresh air fad. It is important,  
 he says, to distinguish between  
 fresh air and pure air. The latter  
 contains ozone, which is the vitalizing  
 principle of air and is free from par-  
 ticles of dust. But fresh air is likely  
 to be dust laden and moreover is cold,  
 and often impregnated with moisture.

The dust is not a menace to healthy  
 people unless it carries germs. But  
 in the case of tuberculosis and other  
 anemic afflictions, it is a menace.  
 Such cases suffer from the inability to  
 create heat. They require air that is  
 not only pure, but warm. To expose  
 them to cold, damp "fresh" air, the  
 doctor says, is cruelty without benefit.  
 The problem for such cases is to pro-  
 vide warm, dry, pure air with as much  
 exposure to the rays of the sun as  
 possible.

## Unrehearsed Stage.

A good story is told of a certain  
 actor whose fate it was to represent  
 the inferior personages in the drama,  
 such as messengers, serving men, etc.  
 One night, a certain great tragedian  
 being engaged, the poor actor enact-  
 ing the character of a servant, had to  
 repeat these words:

"My lord, the coach is waiting."

This was all he had to say, but turn-  
 ing to the gallery part of the audience  
 he added, with stentorian voice, "And  
 permit me further to observe, that the  
 man who raises his hand against a  
 woman, save in the way of kindness,  
 is unworthy the name of a Briton."

Shouting of approval followed. After  
 the play was over, the actor was in-  
 troduced to the manager of the in-

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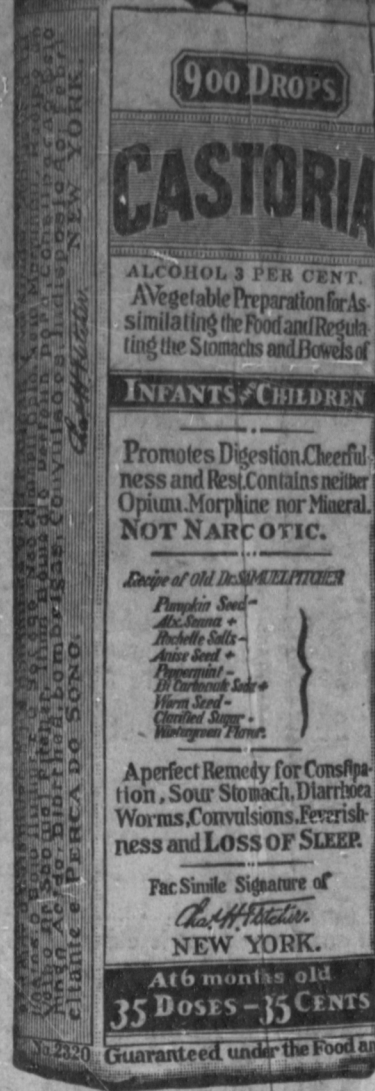
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# CLEAN AND EARNEST

By WALTER JOSEPH DELANEY.

Dexter Avery had invested what little capital he had in a motion picture show at Drovers and was counting the cost of inexperience and competition.

He was a clean, earnest young fellow and deserved success. It seemed assured at the start, but the second week of the new popular playhouse a rival came into the field. It was not an honest rival, and thereby hangs a tale.

Samuel Foster had been his rival for love, although he was old enough to be the father of the object of their mutual adoration, Joyce Darrell. Foster had quite some means, but Joyce had always preferred Dexter.

The "Wonderland," as Dexter's playhouse was called, ran a neat, instructive entertainment. Foster started in with a sensational show and cut the admission price to a nickel.

The "Palace," as his place was called, gathered in mostly the poorer class of people, but took just enough patronage from the Wonderland to make both houses lose money.

"I'll drive Avery onto the rocks!" was the open vaunt of the revengeful Foster. "When he's beggared and out of a job, maybe the Darrells won't think so much of him."

Joyce had encouraged Dexter every way in her power, but one evening after the show Dexter sat in his little office disconsolately calculating how soon his fast disappearing capital would come to an end.

He was aroused from his abstraction as a rattle sounded beyond the side door of the building. It was followed by a distinct groan. Dexter opened the door. A forlorn looking figure sat crouched upon the doorstep.

"Who are you?" challenged Dexter, peering sharply and making out a pale, slatternly man of about fifty.

"I'll move on, boss. Thought no one would disturb me here."

He struggled to his feet with the air of a man weary and weak. There was no trace of liquor upon his breath and his deep, cavernous eyes seemed to speak of deprivation and hunger.

"Hold on," spoke Dexter, as the man started to move away. "What is the matter?"

"Nothing particular now, since you've spoken to me in a pleasant,



"Who Are You?"

friendly tone," declared the roustabout. "It's a rarity, a kind word, so good night and thank you."

"Come in," invited Dexter, his own present troubles making him thoughtful of the discomforts of others. "You look hungry and cold."

"Both, boss, and half sick in the bargain. It's good of you, and honestly I deserve it."

Dexter Avery found that this was true within the hour. He set a fair meal before his strange guest. He provided him with a better coat than the ragged one he wore, and he placed two benches together and made up quite a comfortable bed for the wayfarer.

The man was asleep when Dexter awoke in the morning, and he did not disturb him. Some business took him to the postoffice. When he returned he found the playhouse swept out and dusted and everything in apple pie order.

"I guess you have earned your breakfast," he said, pleased at the willing labor of his pensioner.

"Call it dinner and supper, too," suggested the tramp cheerily, "and I'll help you with the afternoon and evening shows. I worked once in just such a place as this, and with this coat you've given me I might qualify as quite a respectable usher—hey, boss?"

Somehow the man exactly fitted into place. Somehow, too, he seemed to bring good luck. At all events, that afternoon a crowd of forty students came in a group to the show. The house was well filled also during the evening performance. Dexter knew the cause of this, when he learned that his guest had spent two hours circulating programs through the village.

Banks, Tom Banks—that was his name, a no-er-do-well, a rolling stone, he termed himself—got to pretty well understand the amusement situation in the town during two days' faithful duty in behalf of the man to whom he felt so much indebted for producing the

the third morning, "I guess I'm a fixture here, if you don't object."

"I can't pay you much," remarked Dexter.

"Who asked you for any pay?" rejoined Banks. "I'm thinking of your end of the proposition, just as you thought of mine when I was hungry and cold and homeless. So I've got an idea. It's one I tried on at that picture show I was with last year."

"And what was that?" inquired Dexter.

"A Noise Maker."

"I don't understand."

"Don't you try till you see it operate. Are you willing to invest five dollars on my promise that I'll guarantee to make it pay the biggest dividends you ever saw?"

"If you mean trusting you—"

"I do."

"There's the money."

Tom Banks left the show in high clover. He visited a junk shop, a foundry, all kinds of odd places. He returned to the Wonderland loaded up with numerous mysterious bundles.

"You keep out of this," he said playfully to Dexter, as he and the motion picture operator set a screen behind the little stage and removed the bundles thither. "We're rigging up a trade catcher, a money winner. You'll have to find a substitute usher today, though. I've something else to attend to."

Then when the projector began to reel off the films for the first show that afternoon, Dexter comprehended what his ingenious friend had been up to.

The first reel depicted a sea romance. When the purser in the film rang the call bell, a real bell sounded out. When a storm was depicted, rolling thunder thrilled the audience. When the boatswain placed a whistle to his lips, a realistic trill echoed out.

The audience went into spasms of delight. They continued, as in film two the hoofs of a trotting horse sent a kloppeety-klop clamor through the house. The woodland birds hopping about in the picture gave out an entrancing chorus.

Film three set the audience wild. It had a horseshoeing scene, and every time the worthy smith dealt a blow with his hammer a genuine anvil rang out.

Dexter, quite excited, hastened behind the stage to find his faithful helper seated before a heap of miscellaneous articles—an anvil, whistles, a bell, bone clappers, in fact a perfect equipment for adding lifelike delineation to the scenes thrown from the projector.

It was all over town by night. The "Noise Maker" had created a furore. There was a new thrill in the natural well-timed sounds that emphasized the expression of the pictures.

Within a week the cheap and common Palace was languishing and the Wonderland had all the crowds.

"So this is your friend, the Noise Maker?" spoke Joyce, as she lingered at the playhouse one evening to congratulate her lover on his assured success and for the first time met Banks.

"My fortune maker you had better call it, Joyce," replied Dexter buoyantly.

"You was good to me, boss," said Tom Banks earnestly—"I couldn't help but be true to you!"

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MAN JUST THE RIGHT SIZE

Some of the Conclusions That Have Been Drawn by an Eminent French Scientist.

If man were much larger or much smaller than he is he could not have accomplished many of the most important feats of civilization. For man, by his stature, is just the right size to make the best use of everything around him. In an article in La Nature, Georges Claude points out some of the reasons for this.

If man were the size of an ant, for example, he could have made none of the machines with which he has conquered the world. The dimensions of such machines as he could have built would condemn them to uselessness, as the surfaces upon which friction must take place would be out of all proportion to the volume of the apparatus.

Such a man could not make a balloon that would float in the air. The delicacy of the materials he would have to employ would prevent this, for when a certain point of tenuousness is passed the gas diffuses quickly through the envelope. He could not build ships that would cross the ocean or float on any large body of water, because the dimensions of such vessels would have to be so inferior to the length and height of the waves as to make certain the immediate swamping of the tiny craft.

He could not even produce great heat, because the external surface of his furnaces would be so large in proportion to their volume that most of the heat would be lost. This would cut him off from all the chemistry that involves high temperatures, and therefore from metallurgy and mechanics.

But a change in the size of human beings would not make their existence impossible, nor would it preclude a high civilization. This, however, would be a very different civilization from ours, perhaps one evolved from some such primitive beginnings as those of the ants.

Often the Case.

"I hear Wise went broke on that deal in the stock market," said the grouch.

"That's funny," commented the boob. "I thought he got in on the ground floor."

"He did," retorted the grouch, "but he

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## HIS REASON FOR HAPPINESS

Very Much Like a Man, But Not at All Complimentary to the Bride.

"There's no accounting for tastes," said Simeon Ford, the New York humorist. "There's no accounting for tastes in happiness, or hotels, or politics."

"Two men sat in the lobby of my hotel the other night, arguing vociferously, while a third man smoked a long and costly cigar, and listened to the argument with a calm, comfortable, serene air."

"The argument was about happiness. The men claimed, for different reasons, that it was impossible to be perfectly happy—or, as one of them put it:

"No fallible human being is capable of so forgetting life's trials and tribulations, of so withdrawing, so to say, from his defective mortal entity, as to become completely possessed, even for a moment, with a sense of perfect happiness."

"The speaker turned to the man who was smoking the long, expensive cigar so comfortably."

"Don't you agree to that, sir?" he asked.

"The other flicked off his ashes with a chuckle."

"Gentlemen," he said, "I am perfectly happy now."

"What!" cried the first speaker. "You mean to say you are perfectly happy—enrapt in the present moment—oblivious of all the troubles of the universe? Perfectly happy—come, now!"

"Perfectly happy," said the stranger, firmly. "Perfectly, absolutely happy."

"He blew a half-dozen rings up into the air and, as he watched them dissolve, he said:

"Happy, perfectly happy. You see, gentlemen, I have been on my honeymoon for six days. Six days on my honeymoon—and this is the first time I've managed to get off to have a smoke."

Best Material for Bows.

Having made bows for the last twenty years, during which he has supplied archers in many parts of the world, a Civil war veteran who is now living on the coast declares that the yew tree of Oregon furnishes the best bow material in the world. He obtains his yews in the Cascades at an elevation of not less than 5,000 feet, selecting young trees from eight to ten inches thick, which he cuts into three and a half foot lengths, splits into quarters, cuts out and throws away the heart wood and brings the sticks out on pack horses.

With one of these bows a deer was killed at a distance of 62 yards. Nearly 500 of his bows are now in the hands of archery enthusiasts of America and Europe.

Apology in His Will.

The will has lately been proved of a tradesman in a fairly prosperous way of business in the Midlands which is remarkable for a statement he makes therein. He left his property to his children, remarking:

"I have little to dispose of, and I hope those I leave behind will not be disappointed and revile me for having been foolish—spending money I should have saved. Had I known that competition in trade would have become so keen and profits decrease to the extent they have, it would have been different; but there—it is no use lamenting too late."

His will otherwise is quite ordinary, and he left what would appear to have been a fair competence.

Catch Phrase in Paris.

It would be difficult to say whether English or French catch phrases are the more irritating and stupid. The great phrase of the moment—heaven knows why—is, "Thanks for the lobster." It is impossible to get away from this "damnable iteration." If you want to write a few words on a picture postcard, it is the formula par excellence. The words spice conversation between all sorts of people, and you may even be rung up on the telephone for no other purpose than to hear "Merci pour la langouste."

It will, of course, pass, like other would-be witticisms of the kind, but in the meantime it is devastating Paris like a plague.

Filled With Woe.

Mistress—Bridget, did you see the dentist?

Biddy O'Galway—Yis, ma'am.

Mistress—Did he pull your tooth?

Biddy O'Galway—Sure, ma'am, he didn't lay a han' to it to pull at all. He scooped it out wid a wee hoe, an' then he druv it in to stay feriver—wid a plug on the top av it to kape it tight.

What with him upsettin' the sate he put me in, an' tyin' a dirty bit av an old gum shoe in me mouth fer a bib, an' making a noise the size of a coffee mill in me hid, I'd lever walk the flure an' scrame!"—Puck.

Forewarned.

"I cannot understand why my second husband is so fastidious," confessed a New York woman to her bosom friend. "He scarcely eats anything. My first husband, who died, used to eat anything I cooked for him."

"Did you tell your present husband that?"

"Yes."

"That's the reason!"

In the Beginning.

"The parson might be considered the feminine of the umbrella, I suppose."

"I suppose so. What about it?"

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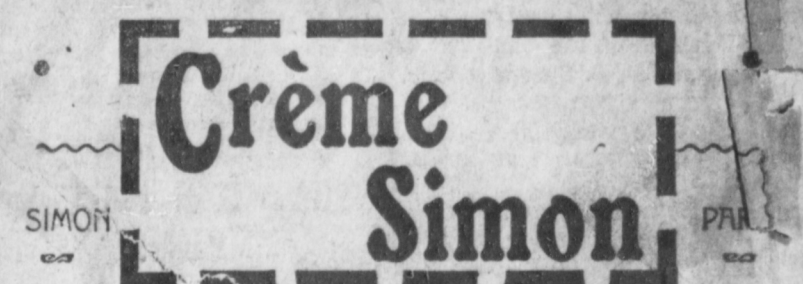
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## IA VALLEY BANK IS ROBBED

### Hopkinsburgers Blow Safe and Get Several Thousand Dollars.

The Fredonia Valley Bank at Fredonia, Caldwell county, was entered by burglars Monday night. After forcing the safe, which was an old-fashioned one, they made a safe getaway with between \$7,000 and \$8,000.

The telephone wires leading out of the town were cut and the town cut off from communication with the outside world.

A horse and buggy belonging to W. H. Jones, ex-Representative from Caldwell county, was also stolen.

The robbers were evidently old hands, for they blew the vault door, the safe in the vault and even the burglar vault. Bloodhounds were taken to the scene next morning but did no good. The explosion was heard about 1:45 o'clock a. m. and an alarm was sounded, but the thieves were not seen. The money was in currency, silver and gold. The bank has a capital stock of \$15,000 and is unusually strong for its size. It has \$12,500 burglar insurance in force, fully protecting it against loss. One report is that the burglars, prior to robbing the bank, stole some barbed wire from a store and built a barricade all about the bank building to guard against possible surprise.

The president of the bank is Ed. J. Rice, and D. D. Byrd is cashier.

Things to Worry About.  
There are women carpenters in the town.

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expedition in the several months, lie the Anegada reef, then of the Virgin Islands. Capt. crew were all rescued.

Since he killed passenger agent Southern Pacific Cal., three weeks ago, a young amateur, haunted, he says by "I have not had rest since," he told Hamill of Los Angeles.

Thaw is boarding in Concord, N. H. guard. He goes and is a popular smoker nor drinks behavior while awaiting commission to pass. His health is good, mind bright. He miles a day and no is not perfectly sane.

Oscar W. Underwood in Birmingham about prices of men's clothing reform will tend to react to the Age-Herald.

"I have heard," said Wood, "that many are only \$2 or \$3 worth hard to see, if this an hour we hung beneath the shadows of the cliff, 'Twas twilight on the placid lake, we high prices should remind not the tiller, love, this seat of mine is wide." "Ah! would the stern were wide enough for if brought to book, just steer," and to my prayers her tresses waved me, have to answer like sandwich vender.

"Mark Twain, after for a wretched side eating bar, said:

"Why on earth have me for this miserable its real worth?"

"Well, the fact is, der replied, 'I need th

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bulletin issued by the on the skiff, And for an hour we hung beneath the shadows of a health shows "I mad-ly cried, "But come, mind not the tiller, love, this seat of mine is married mother on you may, But I must steer," and to my prayers Her tresses waved me among sin

## AMUSEMENTS.

No play of recent years has created as much discussion as has been aroused by "Fine Feathers", the newest drama by Eugene Walter, which H. H. Frazee presented for an entire season in New York and Chicago, and which will be seen here at Holland's opera House Jan. 2.

Although every dramatic critic pronounced it the biggest play of the day, each reviewer treated the play from a different angle. One saw in it a serious preachment against the advanced cost and standard of living; another regarded it as a lesson about the feminine desire for better clothes than the husband can afford to provide; still another saw in it an overwhelming argument against the encroachment of graft while others treated it as an irresistible illustration of the eternal law of compensation.

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## Wallace to Wartrace.

Wartrace, Tenn., Dec. 31.—Wartrace is to have a weekly newspaper, which is to present its first issue on or about January 15. F. O. Wallace, late of Hopkinsville, will be owner and editor. The paper will be eight-page, all-home-print and independent. Mr. Wallace is a newspaper man of life-long experience and he came to a good field in the best section of Middle Tennessee to establish his new enterprise. The citizens are much elated over this much-needed institution and have promised substantial support.

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## JUDGE W. S. PRYOR IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

### Aged Jurist Is Confined To His Bed With The Grip.

New Castle, Ky., Dec. 31.—Judge W. S. Pryor, former Chief Justice of the Appellate Court, is seriously ill at his home here with the grip. Judge Pryor is nearly ninety years old, and, owing to his advanced age, his family is much worried over his illness.

Mrs. Laban Phelps, of Louisville, his daughter, arrived here this morning, but Mrs. Abe Sanford, another daughter, is in the South, where her husband is ill.

## Dividend Notice.

The directors of the City Bank & Trust Co. have this day declared the regular 5 per cent dividend for the semi-annual period ending Dec. 31st, 1913, and also an extra special dividend of 5 per cent, both payable on January 1st, 1914.

IRA L. SMITH, Cashier.  
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## Death Near Fruit Hill.

Mrs. Persadia A. West, wife of Mr. William W. West, of near Fruit Hill, died at her home Monday. She had been ill for some time, suffering from a complication of diseases. She was a most excellent christian lady and leaves many friends.

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## SILVER WEDDING

### Of Dr. and Mrs. Calvin M. Thompson a Joyous Event.

The silver wedding anniversary celebration of Rev. C. M. Thompson and wife at the First Baptist church, Tuesday night, drew a large crowd of church member and an interesting program was carried out, consisting of music and addresses. Speeches were made by Messrs. W. T. Tandy, Bailey Waller and others. The silver offerings aggregating \$140 were presented to Dr. Thompson by Mr. Tandy, who presided. Dr. Thompson responded in an appropriate speech.

Following the conclusion of the program, cake and brick ices were served by the ladies to the several hundred people present. The fund raised is to present Dr. Thompson with a trip.

## DEATH OF MINISTER.

### Rev. Hillstren Passes Away At Marion, O.

Mr. Geo. M. Clark received a telegram Tuesday, informing him of the death of Rev. C. W. Hillstren at his home in Marion, O. No particulars were contained in the message. Rev. Hillstren was for several years pastor of the Universalist Church in this city. He moved to Ohio about two years ago. He made many friends during his stay here and the announcement of his death will cause much sorrow. His wife and one child survive.

## Meeting of W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist Church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

## Marriage Licenses.

Tuesday marriage license was issued to Miss Daisy Gilkey and Mr. J. B. Chapman.

# XMAS EATS

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## New Masonic Officers.

Last Saturday night the Masonic lodge elected the following officers for the ensuing term:  
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J. C. Haydon, S. W.  
E. E. Walpole, J. W.  
Joe McCarroll, Jr., Treasurer.  
E. C. Frye, Secretary.  
J. A. Orange, S. D.  
J. W. Pursley, J. D.  
Ike Hart, Steward.  
L. W. Guthrie, Steward.  
W. R. Pauley, Marshal.  
J. W. Carlross, Chaplain.  
W. H. Ryan, Tyler.

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Daily Thought.  
There is no duty we so much underrate as the duty of being happy.—R. L. Stevenson.

# TOO LIGHT JUST NOW

(„Beim Sonnenuntergang")

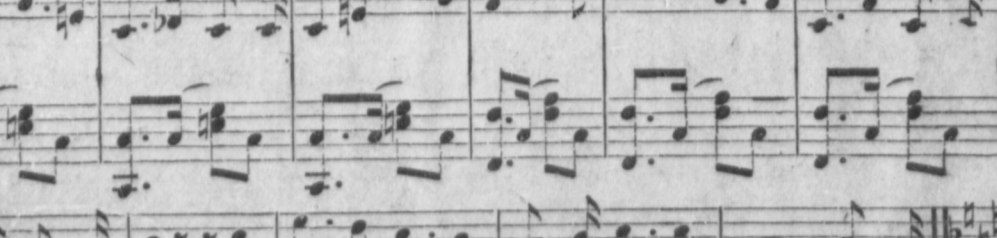
A Very Loving Song, Sung by Mildred Joyce of THE LOVES LOTTERY CO.



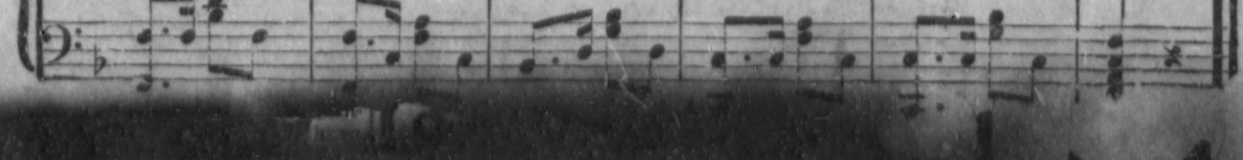
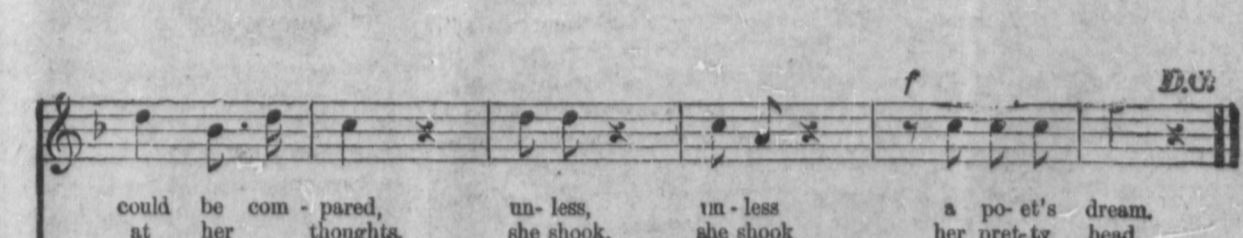
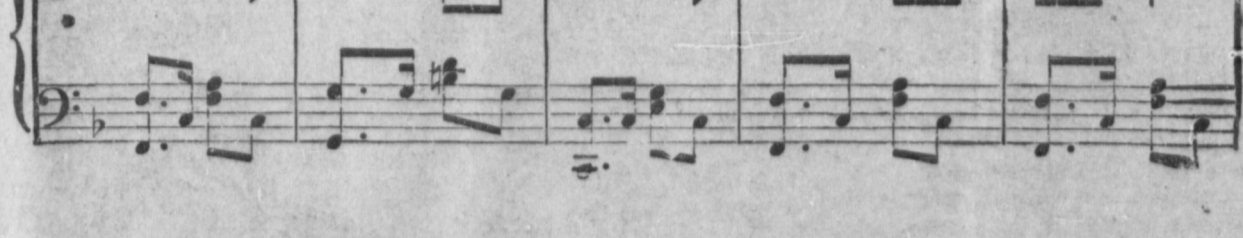
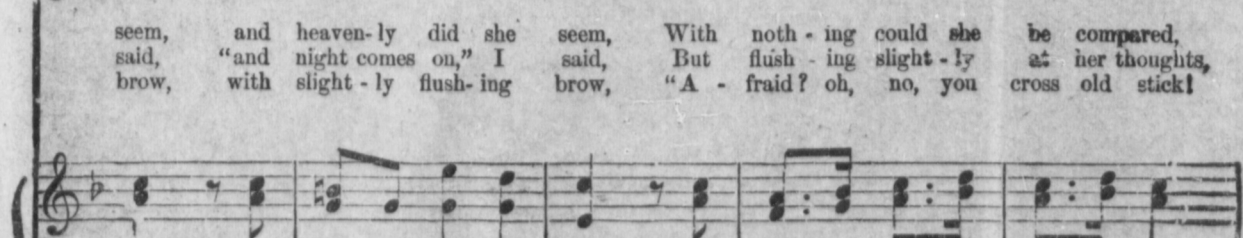
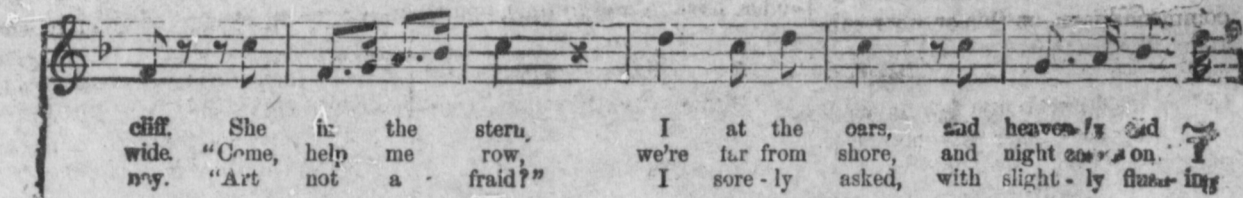
1. 'Twas twi-light on the placid lake, for two were on the skiff, And
2. "Ah! would the stern were wide enough for two," I mad-ly cried, "But
3. "Oh, no," said she, "I would not dare; row fur-ther on you may, But



"I have heard," said wood, "that many are only \$2 or \$3 worth hard to see, if this an hour we hung beneath the shadows of the cliff, 'Twas twilight on the placid lake, we high prices should remind not the tiller, love, this seat of mine is wide." "Ah! would the stern were wide enough for if brought to book, just steer," and to my prayers her tresses waved me, have to answer like sandwich vender.



bulletin issued by the on the skiff, And for an hour we hung beneath the shadows of a health shows "I mad-ly cried, "But come, mind not the tiller, love, this seat of mine is married mother on you may, But I must steer," and to my prayers Her tresses waved me among sin





# MAYOR MEACHAM'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

[CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE]

Knight \$70.  
In 1911, R. A. Miller \$1,000, Downer & Russell \$1012 50.  
In 1912, T. P. Cook \$150.  
In 1913, T. P. Cook \$50, C. H. Bush \$75 and Jno. C. Duffy \$75, and \$150 more is contracted for, making a total of \$3262.50, in addition to the regular salaries amounting to \$7,700 in six years.

## RETROSPECTIVE.

During my incumbency of the office of Mayor, covering a period of eight years, the general revenues have increased from \$40,790 in 1906 to \$82,500 in 1913, the aggregate being \$491,190.23. More than two-thirds of these revenues have been paid out for the following purposes: Streets and sewers \$115,742, police \$71,054, lights \$51,223, fire department \$45,418, water \$39,231 and bridges \$10,475. Out of the remaining one-third have been paid the salaries of officials and the operating expenses of the city, including the workhouse, cemetery, courts, charity and incidental expenses. The street expenditures have increased from \$9,385 in 1906 to \$43,700 for the last two years combined, a part of the expense of 1912 being paid in 1913. The expense of lighting the city by contract has increased from \$5,219 to \$7,000. The water contract from \$4,590 to \$5,100. The Fire Department's annual expense has varied but little from year to year. The bridges have been no expense since their construction several years ago, except the minor item of painting and some repairs incident to a flood a year ago. The expense of the police department has been doubled, having increased from \$5,657 in 1906 to \$11,000 in 1913. The force has been increased from 8 men to 12 and the wages have been increased from \$52.50 to \$70 a month for patrolmen. The cemetery has been a source of revenue to the city, the unwise policy having been pursued of turning the proceeds of lots sold into the general fund, instead of using them to improve the cemetery itself. I have sought frequently to change this system. In retiring from office, I shall of course make no further recommendations, on this or other subjects, leaving that duty to be performed by my successor who will enter upon his duties in a few days.

Looking back over the period of eight years that I have held my present position I will perhaps be pardoned for saying that I look with some degree of satisfaction upon the following accomplishments:

Enactment of a stock law.  
Enforcement of laws against Sunday violating and gambling.

Adoption of high license and rigid control of liquor traffic.

Purchase of a city jail and other real estate amounting to \$19,000.

Providing vault for city records and placing the Clerk's office upon a business basis, kept open during business hours.

Annexation of several plats of territory.

Establishment of sub-station for police department at L. & N. depot.

Requiring I. C. Railroad Co. to build retaining wall and to remove its tracks from Tenth street.

Establishment of Colored Graded Schools, and erection of additions costing \$3,000.

Establishment of Colored Cemetery.

Establishing Park System and creating Park Commission.

Financing the new \$100,000 High School building.

Suppression of disorderly houses adjacent to the city, with the co-operation of the county judge.

Improvement of Little river.

Erection of U. D. C. fountain and D. A. R. memorial tablets by patriotic ladies.

Purchase of Public Library site.

Construction of 12 blocks of permanent streets in 1912.

In conclusion, permit me to thank the members of your honorable body and city officers generally for the courtesy with which I have been uniformly treated, even when our honest opinions led us to hold different views upon public questions being considered. I trust I leave office with the good opinion of each of the 30 councilmen with whom I have been first and last officially associated.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Mayor.

To Clean Plaster Casts.

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## Purely Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Waller, of Calhoun, Ky., who spent the holidays with Mr. Waller's mother, Mrs. Kate D. Waller, returned home today.

Mr. T. C. Underwood and Mr. H. A. Long attended the Press meeting in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Lockett will leave soon for Hopkinsville, where Mr. Lockett will work for the Imperial Tobacco Company.—Henderson Gleaner.

Representative John C. Duffy left for Louisville Monday, on his way to Frankfort.

Misses Kathleen Carothers and Louise Moore left this morning for London, Ky., to visit friends.

Mrs. Millard T. Bartley has returned to Nashville to join her husband, after spending the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Lewis Gregory, of near Beverly, spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Adams, in Nashville.

Miss Mary Belle Page has returned home after spending the holidays with Miss Effie Farmer at Elkton.

Mr. B. W. Harned spent part of the Christmas holidays in St. Louis, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Holt Price.

E. H. Brown who has been with Sable Bros. since they bought out the John Moayon Company, has resigned his position.

John B. Trice Jr., left yesterday for Pittsburg before going to Philadelphia. Mrs. Trice will remain here until spring with Mr. Trice's parents.

Miss Alice Lander, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Pauline Lander, for several weeks left Tuesday for London, Ky., where she will teach the coming term.

Mrs. Cody Fowler, of Little Rock, Ark., who has been visiting her father, Mr. E. M. Jones, will return home tomorrow.

Mrs. H. S. Mitchell and son Herbert, of Cadiz, are visiting Mrs. Ophelia Boyd, Jesup avenue.

Mr. E. M. Jones and son, Emmett Jones, have moved to town and have rooms at Mr. Geo. Kolb's.

Miss Lizzie Gower, of Trenton, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Daniel.

## TURNED DOWN

Illinois Central Refuses To Reduce Coal Rate of 75 Cents.

J. L. Durrett, Assistant General freight agent of the Illinois Central Railroad, visited the city Tuesday and notified the H. B. M. A. that his road had decided to make no reduction in the present rate of 75 cents per ton for hauling coal into Hopkinsville. A meeting was held to receive his answer, which was a disappointment. Other steps will be taken to secure the relief asked for.

## AMUSEMENT.

The interest displayed in "Fine Feathers" indicates that every local playgoer appreciates the rare opportunity of seeing this biggest success of last season in New York. The fame of this remarkable drama has preceded and every man and woman in this city who has even the slightest interest in the theatre will doubtless be on hand to witness this tremendous success at Holland's Opera House January 2.

Advertisement.

## Night-Closing Ordinance.

At the Council meeting Tuesday night, Councilman Gee gave notice that at the meeting tomorrow night he would introduce an ordinance requiring a night-closing hour for saloons in the city. Some of the liquor men themselves are said to favor such an ordinance.

## Last Warning To Delinquent Taxpayers.

Monday, January 5, will be absolutely the last day for paying taxes for 1913 so as to escape advertisement of the property for sale. All property on which taxes are not paid by next Monday will be advertised for sale.

# FISCAL COURT MET

Tuesday In Called Session and Fixed Salaries of Three County Officers.

## ALL MEMBERS WERE PRESENT

The Fiscal Court met in adjourned session last Tuesday. It was the last meeting for the old year and there was but little business of general interest before it. All the Magistrates were present and Judge Knight presided.

The first business transacted was the appointment of a committee to investigate and audit the accounts of County Judge Knight as commissioner of the county poor house fund, from April 1st, 1912, to January 1st, 1913. Magistrates Morris, Dade and Reese compose the committee, to report at next regular meeting of the court.

An appropriation of \$50 was made to pay premiums awarded at the late county school fair, to pass through the hands of Miss Jennie West, who superintended the fair.

The County Attorney was directed to investigate and report as to whether the county has any interest or claim on a one and one-fourth tract of land on the Palmyra road, near Herndon, which land is now claimed by Mrs. A. E. Word.

County Attorney Smith and Magistrates Garrett, Morris and Fuller were appointed to investigate and make a report at the next regular meeting of the report of Low Johnson as receiver and treasurer of special bond fund of \$27,000.

The salaries of county officers were fixed for four years as follows: County Judge, per annum...\$1,500 County Attorney per annum...\$1,200 Superintendent of Schools...\$1,800

The County Attorney was directed to proceed as soon as practicable to collect from the L. & N. railroad the amount of expenses incurred by the county on account of the late smallpox epidemic, which was the result of the importation of a case into this county by the said railroad company.

An order was entered appropriating \$50 for the pauper's fund. The account of S. L. Cowherd, for \$502, for pork furnished to county farm, was ordered paid out of any funds on hand not otherwise provided for.

Court adjourned to meet in regular session next Tuesday.

## STARTLING PICTURE



Among the foreign actors taking part in George Klein's startling picture, "The Last Days of Pompeii," which is to appear at the Rex theatre tomorrow and Saturday is the famous Italian actor, Sig. Ubaldo Stefani.

Sig. Stefani will be seen as Glauco, the hero of Lord Lytton's popular novel. Signor Stefani is considered the most perfect formed man in Italy. Stefani is a sculptor by profession. Many of the public buildings in Italy and Greece are adorned by his hand-worked. He is a graduate of Padua University. He is a vegetarian and has never tasted alcohol. He rarely smokes.

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### Alfalfa in Kentucky.

Scattered about in many sections of Kentucky one finds farmers who have alfalfa growing upon their farms. From a productive standpoint many of these fields of alfalfa are very poor. They represent simply the possibilities of alfalfa, in the particular section, when the conditions necessary for the production of the crop are fully met. Here and there in the State, however, are found men who, with a thorough knowledge of the requirements of alfalfa, are eminently successful in growing the crop.

A farmer may consider himself successful with alfalfa when he is able to harvest three or four cuttings a year, aggregating a yield of from three to five tons per acre, and when the field has been kept comparatively free from weeds and has been productive for several years.

Every live farmer knows the su-

question is, can he grow it?

The climate of Kentucky is congenial to alfalfa, and in many sections the soil is sufficiently fertile to grow the crop successfully. The lack of proper preparation of the seed bed is often the cause of failure. Soils which will grow from forty to fifty bushels of corn per acre are rich enough to grow alfalfa, while some soils not quite so productive can be prepared for alfalfa by growing a crop of cowpeas to turn under. In sections low in phosphorus contents finely ground phosphate rock should be added.

The Kentucky Experiment Station is so interested in the value of alfalfa to the farmer that the Extension Department is making a special effort to become acquainted with all successful growers, and in addition is offering its services in directing the work of clubs of farmers whose members wish to grow a few acres

perior feeding value of alfalfa, nearly all kinds of live stock of alfalfa under instructions. Extension Department has no good number of farmers in the State who in this way are learning to grow alfalfa, but is able to offer services to a few more groups of farmers for the coming year.

Any farmer who has become interested in the growing of alfalfa community is invited to correspond early with the Extension Department, concerning the formation of an alfalfa club, and its sub-direction by this Department.

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# CAUSE OF FOUNDER

Not the Result of Eating More Food Than Good for Him.

Animal Driven Hard for Long Way and Allowed to Stand Long Enough to Chill Will Show All the Characteristic Symptoms.

Most of us are apt to think that founder is always caused by the horse eating more than is good for him. I thought the same thing until a few weeks ago.

I know now that an animal hard-driven for a long way, and allowed to stand in the open air long enough to chill, has all the characteristic symptoms of a typical case of founder.

Laminitis is the name given to the disease in the books, and the soreness and lameness comes from the violent inflammation that is set up in the sensitive folds of tissue that are interlaced with nonsensitive layers of the hoof says a writer in the Farm Progress. These two kinds of layers are sandwiched between each other, and when the disturbance caused by overeating in a heated condition, or from a chill when the blood is hot, sets up, it is communicated to the very sensitive tissue of the foot.

The slight swelling that takes place causes the circulation of the blood through this tissue to result in considerable fever. The lamellar tissue becomes very hot and painful.

Driving a horse very swiftly over a hard road, and allowing him to chill very quickly, is fairly certain to create some such disturbance, and when this is marked, it is a good plan to start treating the horse at once.

As soon as the horse shows signs of founder, get him into a stable and place the afflicted feet in a tub of water that is just about as hot as the animal can bear. This tends to reduce the inflammation that is already present, and will prevent any increase in the lameness.

Keep up this treatment for an hour and a half or two hours, then remove the tub and rub the feet as dry as you can. Put the horse in a warm, deeply bedded stall, and drench with a mixture of about a pint of raw linseed oil, about 30 grains of calomel and an ounce of pulverized ginger.

Follow the hot water foot bath treatment for three or four days in order to make certain that the swelling does not come back. If the animal does not respond to the treatment get a veterinary to look him over at once.

If the hot water treatment is used quickly enough and strong enough it will prevent many of the worst symptoms.

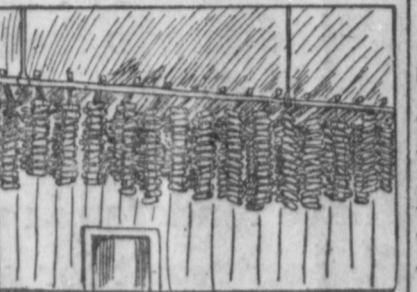
The sensitive tissue of the interior of the hoof is quite closely connected as to nature with the membrane of the intestinal tract. The sympathy between the two sets of nervous centers is very close and any disturbance in the intestinal membrane is apt to be reflected in the lamellar tissue of the foot.

## GOOD PLACE FOR SEED EARS

Should Be Stored in Well Ventilated Room and Not Touch Each Other—Great Many Methods.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)

The seed corn ears should be stored at once in a dry, well-ventilated place, and in such a way that there may be free circulation of air around each ear. Do not allow one ear to touch another. If there is not sufficient air circulation the vitality of the corn is almost certain to be injured, either by molding, fermenting, growing or freezing. There are a great many methods of storing the seed corn, but in all cases the place of storing must be dry. Seed corn should never be put into boxes, barrels or sacks. Few cellars are dry enough to store seed corn in. The attic, or an empty room upstairs in the house is a good place if it is not too warm and close while the corn is still moist.



Handy Way to Save Seed Ears.

The amount of freezing seed corn will stand depends entirely upon its dryness. If thoroughly dry and surrounded by dry atmosphere it will stand very cold weather.

If you have ever found yourself compelled to plant corn that was not fit for seed, do not be caught that way again. It is too discouraging to begin the season with poor prospects of a good crop. Get your seed at ripening time when the best quality is most plentiful. Get an abundance, enough for planting again what the high-water may destroy and a supply for some farmer who may move into your community or for a neighbor who could not select his seed corn at the proper time. Save seed only from the most profitable individuals with the same care you use in propagating your animals.

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No. 51—St. L. Express 5:35 p. m.

No. 99—Dixie Limited, 10:41 p. m.

No. 95—Dixie Flyer 8:43 a. m.

No. 55—Hopkinsville Ar. 7:08 a. m.

No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:33 a. m.

No. 91—Evansville Ac. 10:05 a. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim., 5:25 a. m.

No. 52—St. Louis Express, 9:51 a. m.

No. 98—Dixie Limited, 7:03 a. m.

No. 94—Dixie Flyer, 6:54 p. m.

No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.

No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail 10:10 a. m.

No. 90—Evansville Ac. 4:15 p. m.

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## A GLANCE INTO 1914

Many Buildings Now Under Way and Will Be Busy Year.

MAKE IT BETTER THAN 1914

Population Increasing and New Year Starts With Promise.

The year 1913 was a year of improvement, greater than any preceding year, probably, leaving out the completion of the magnificent High School building. Many merchants declare that it was unprecedented from a business standpoint, some of them declaring that the few days preceding Christmas were the best they have ever had.

The outlook for 1914 is most encouraging. The white population increased considerably during the five months before us, as there are many moving to the city and so few, any, are contemplating leaving and locating elsewhere. Vacant houses, as is usually the case at the beginning of a new year, are in demand, though there were a large number of new homes put up during the past year.

The new year begins auspiciously. There is not a vacant storeroom on any of the principal streets.

There are many buildings to be completed within the next thirty or forty days, while some will be ready by the time spring opens.

Mr. Jennie Stuart Hospital, on the seventeenth street, is being pushed to completion. The new plant is now being installed and will not take long to finish the work.

Carnegie Library will be a fine structure, the building will cost \$15,000.

\$80,000 postoffice building is the best thing for 1914. The contractors are under bond to have it for occupancy by the first of January, 1915, but it will not be ready by the last of next year. It is estimated that the postmaster moves into it, and that outlay will be close to \$100,000.

The Pennyroyal Hotel is to be finished and the building opened to the public by the first of March. This will be a modern building in every respect. Recent changes and additions made by the architects will bring it up to the requirements of the most exacting guest. It is the general opinion that the new hostelry will be run on the European plan.

The Cherokee office building is said by many to be the prettiest structure in the city and in the next thirty days, it is claimed every room in the building will be occupied. It is supplied with a passenger elevator, heated by steam and the interior is finished altogether in modern style.

It is rumored that with the beginning of spring the Frankels will remodel the front of their three storerooms and add a fourth, the building now occupied as a confectionery being their property. This will involve an outlay of something like \$6,000 or \$8,000. Even if a greater expenditure should be necessary that enterprising business concern will not hesitate a moment about carrying out their ideas.

The park commission is already laying its plans for improving Peace park and making it what they consider would accord with the desire of Mr. Latham had he expressed before his death. The commission is susceptible of being a beauty spot to greet the eye when they arrive or leave the city. Mr. Latham's board, however, is not yet organized.

## PARALYZED AT I. C. STATION

E. D. Jones, Prominent Farmer, Lost Use of Arm Tuesday Afternoon.

WAS TAKEN HOME YESTERDAY.

Right Arm Involved and Power of Speech Lessened To Some Extent.

While waiting Tuesday afternoon at the Illinois Central station with the other pallbearers for the arrival of the remains of the late Col. Joe F. Foard, Mr. E. D. Jones was paralyzed in his right arm. The stroke came suddenly without premonitory symptoms, as he had been in his usual robust health for a year.

Mr. Jones was taken to the Elks Home and later removed to the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. J. Carothers, Jr., on South Main street, where he passed the night in comparative ease. He really suffered no pain and was able to lift his arm, but it was entirely devoid of feeling. He has lost the power of speech to some extent, stammering a good deal when he attempts to talk.

Yesterday morning he was somewhat improved and was taken to his home, about eight miles from the city.

Mr. Jones' many friends will regret to learn of his illness and hope he may soon recover. He is one of the largest farmers in the county, being third in the list of property owners, as shown by the assessor's books.

## Australia as a Source of Meat Supply

For many years Australia has supplied the United States Government with meat consumed in the Philippines, and it is known that the producers are looking forward to a large market in the United States now that the duty has been removed. This, of course, will reduce the supply for England, which must be made up from other sections, probably from Canada, Argentina and the United States.

Different sections of Australia are cattle-producing regions, while in others sheep predominate. New Zealand is one of the greatest sheep countries in the world and exports great quantities of mutton. The number of sheep is given at 23,750,000. New Zealand sends 2,000,000 sheep and 3,400,000 lambs to Great Britain every year. There are twenty-two freezing plants in the country with a capacity of 2,000 sheep and lambs a day. If a part of the large shipments now going to England are diverted to the United States a reduction in prices for a time should follow.

Australia is not as well situated in regard to transportation as Argentina. Not only is the distance to foreign market greater, but the stock-growing districts are much farther from tide-water. Complaints have been made about the methods of shipping stock by rail, which are said to injure the cattle and caused a difference in the quality of the beef.

The cattle in Australia are Durhams, Herefords, Devons, and also cross-breeds. The pasturage in normal years is good, but there are seasons of drought which seem to set a limit upon cattle-raising. Just as thousands of cattle and sheep have perished on the ranges in this country by reason of severe storms, and the available supply diminished, so the droughts in Australia, as in Argentina, check overproduction and at times cause a shortage. From "Beef from South America and Australia," by Arthur Wallace Dunn, in the American Review of Reviews for January.

## TOBACCO SALE RATIFIED.

Nat F. Dortch, of Louisville, Gets The One-Sucker District Pool.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 31.—The recent sale of the pooled tobacco of the Bowling Green One-sucker district to Nat F. Dortch, of Louisville, representing John Mathews & Sons Company, of New York, was ratified here Saturday afternoon at a meeting of the various county unions of Warren county held at the Courthouse. Allen county, also in the pool, ratified the sale.

According to the arrangements made with the purchasers, the tobacco will be received at Oakland and Bowling Green for the Warren county tobacco, and delivery will commence Monday, January 5. All pledges must be in the hands of the secretary by next Wednesday.

## Worms The Cause of Your Child's Pains.

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## Warfare you Patient.

Winson, a patient at the W. R. R. Hospital from Warren early to Dec. 27 of one in months. The market He would be stocked.

## GREATER THAN WAR

Millions Spent Annually In Fighting Great White Plague.

Out of nearly \$20,000,000 spent last year in the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis in the United States, 69.3 per cent of the money was derived from public funds, either federal, state, county or municipal. These are some of the interesting figures given in the annual statistical statement of The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, made public today. The statement is based largely on actual reports received from anti-tuberculosis agencies throughout the country, but where reports were not available, the figures have been estimated.

Treatment of tuberculous patients in the more than 500 sanatoria and hospitals of the country and the construction of such institutions cost over \$18,000,000 of the total expenditure. Care of patients in dispensaries and open-air schools cost about \$225,000. Anti-tuberculosis associations and committees spent nearly \$675,000 in furthering their work of organization and education, while state and local boards of health and special tuberculosis commissions spent over \$250,000.

More than \$13,000,000 or 69.3 per cent of the total expenditures came from public funds.

## Voluntary White Slave

Miss Adelaide Branch fifteen years ago, when she was a beautiful girl, hid herself from the world so that she might be a loving slave of Melvin H. Couch, former district attorney and former county judge of Sullivan county, N. Y., who fell in love with her the first time she entered his law office, as a book agent. During the last three years he kept the girl a voluntary slave in a secluded room of his home, in the Masonic temple.

## N. B. HAYS.

Former Kentuckian Slated To Congress By Oklahoma Democrats.

Winchester, Ky., Dec. 31—Gen. N. B. Hays, formerly of Barbourville and Pineville, who was attorney general of Kentucky for four years, and who was later the contending democratic candidate for governor when S. W. Hager was nominated, and who now lives at Durant, Okla., where he is engaged in the practice of law and real estate operations, is said to be slated to congress by the democrats of his district at the next election.

## The New Year and "Lippincott's."

Lippincott's begins the new year with promise of excellence maintained and interest still further advanced. The January number contains an engrossing complete novel by Carolyn Wells, author of "The Maxwell Mystery," "The Gold Bag," "A Chain of Evidence," and other "best sellers." This new novel—a detective story—is entitled "A Maze of Mystery," and it certainly lives up to its name. There are enough ingenious complications and striking situations in it to equip half a dozen stories—all of which of course add greatly to its interest and appeal. A number of people are gathered together at a house party where a series of mysterious crimes occur. Suspicion points to one man, but he is found murdered in a way which seems to exonerate him, and the search begins all over again. "A Maze of Mystery" is a very unusual story, and it is sure to enhance the author's already enviable reputation.

There are some unique short stories.

## Beetle as Human food.

The larvae of the beetle were eaten by the ancient Romans and today are used as food by the people of the West Indies. In parts of China...

## REMOVES TO HOPKINSVILLE

J. T. Edwards, Jr., Forms a Desirable Business Connection in This City.

Mr. Jay T. Edwards, Jr., and family are removing to Hopkinsville, where they will reside in the future, says the Clarksville Star. He will engage there in the ready-to-wear and millinery business. The style of the firm will be the J. T. Edwards Company. Mr. Edwards will leave for New York about the 15th of January to purchase his spring stock of goods. He will be Secretary and Treasurer and General Manager of the Company. Although a young man of only 22 years of age, Mr. Edwards is both capable and experienced in business.

The citizens of Hopkinsville will find that he and his family will make desirable acquisitions both from a business and social standpoint. Clarksville hates to give them up.

Mr. Edwards will open a store next to Hardwick's, on Main street.

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